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CAPTAIN MIDNIGHT, CHAMPION OF THE UNDERDOG AND UPHOLDER OF THE FREEDOM MAN, IS APPOINTED HEAD OF THE SECRET SQUADRON, AN ORGANIZATION FORMED BY LOYAL PATRIOTS TO WIPE OUT ALL UNDERMINING INFLUENCES AND FIFTH COLUMN ACTIVITIES IN THE COUNTRY---

ALMOST THE MINUTE HE ACCEPTS THE LEADERSHIP, HE COMES TO GRIPS WITH HIS OLD ENEMY, IVAN SHARK, THE GREATEST CRIMINAL BRAIN IN THE WORLD. ESCAPING FROM SHARK'S CLUTCHES WITH HIS WARD, CHUCK RAMSEY, THEY FLY TO KEEP A SECOND "RENDEZVOUS" WITH SHARK.

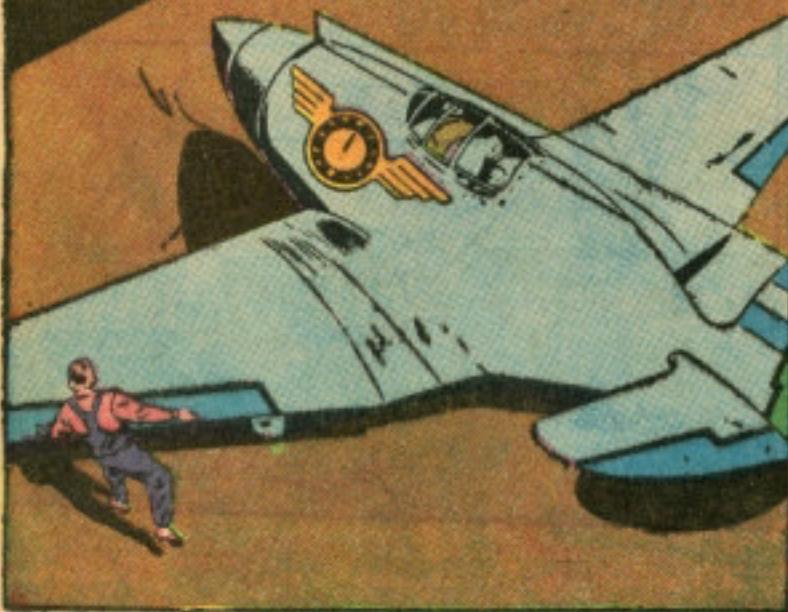
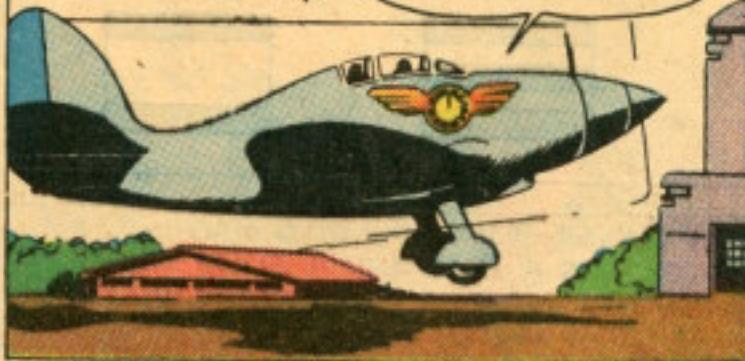
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IS THERE A SECRET SQUADRON HEADQUARTERS IN THIS CITY, CAPTAIN MIDNIGHT?

YES, CHUCK... AND THERE'S A VITAL JOB TO BE DONE HERE... SHARK IS PLANNING TO RAID THE ARMY ARSENAL HERE!

HOPE SOMEONE'S HERE TO MEET US!

NOT NECESSARY, CHUCK... I KNOW WHERE SECRET SQUADRON HEADQUARTERS ARE..



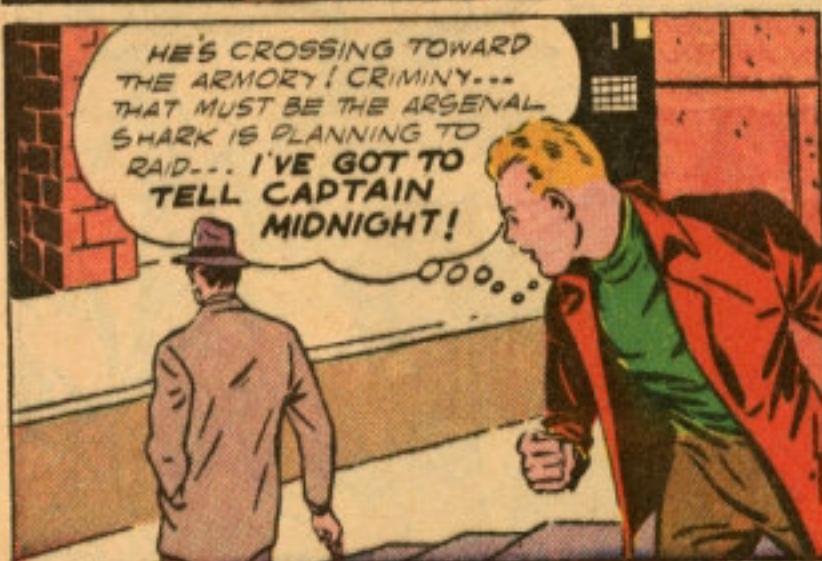
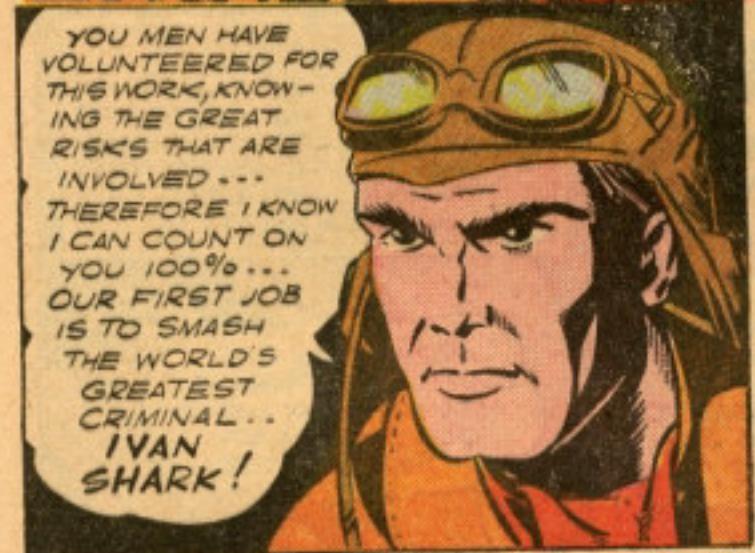
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MEMBERS HIS
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TURE SHARK
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COUNTRY OF
HIS GANG,
CHUCK RAMSEY
WANDERS
ABOUT THE
STREETS...
SUDDENLY...



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CHUCK LOOKS AROUND AND THINKS FAST...

SUDDENLY - HE GETS AN IDEA...

OOOOGH... I ...
I THINK I'M ...
GONNA FAINT!

HUH? WATSA MATTER?

CHUCK'S TRICKERY WORKS!
--KRASS,
AFRAID OF BEING IDENTIFIED,
SLIPS AWAY AS
CHUCK FEIGNS SICKNESS ON THE SIDEWALK!



WHAT HAPPENED TO YOU, SON?

JUST SORTA GOT A DIZZY SPELL, OFFICER... I'LL BE OKAY NOW...

HE WAS TALKIN' TO SOME GUY AND SUDDENLY KEELLED OVER

HE'S GONE!

WHERE'S THE GUY, NOW?

THANKS A LOT-- YOU DON'T KNOW IT, BUT YOU SAVED MY LIFE!

WHAT? HAVE YOU GONE CRAZY, SON?

NOT WAITING TO ANSWER THE DUMBFOUNDED POLICEMAN'S QUESTION, CHUCK RUNS BACK TO SECRET SQUADRON HEADQUARTERS AND REPORTS TO CAPTAIN MIDNIGHT...

SO SHARK IS READY TO STRIKE AT THE ARSENAL NOW!

I'M SURE OF IT! THEY'VE GOT THE PLACE SURROUNDED! AND IF I HADN'T BEEN LUCKY I'D BE PUSHIN' UP THE DAISIES NOW!

SHALL I ORDER THE MEN TO PROCEED WITH PLAN 'A' WHICH YOU HAVE JUST OUTLINED FOR US, CAPTAIN MIDNIGHT?

YES, KELLY! SEE THAT THEY TAKE THEIR STATIONS IMMEDIATELY-- IVAN SHARK IS GOING TO BE IN FOR A BIG SURPRISE!

DROPPING QUICKLY IN ELEVATORS TO THE BASEMENT OF THE BUILDING, THE SECRET SQUADRON AGENTS ENTER A TUNNEL LEADING TO THE ARSENAL SEVERAL BLOCKS AWAY---

AND IF YOU CAN CAPTURE SHARK'S MEN WITHOUT USING GUNS, SO MUCH THE BETTER!

TAKE UP YOUR POSITIONS AS SOON AS YOU GET THERE...

CAPTAIN MIDNIGHT

